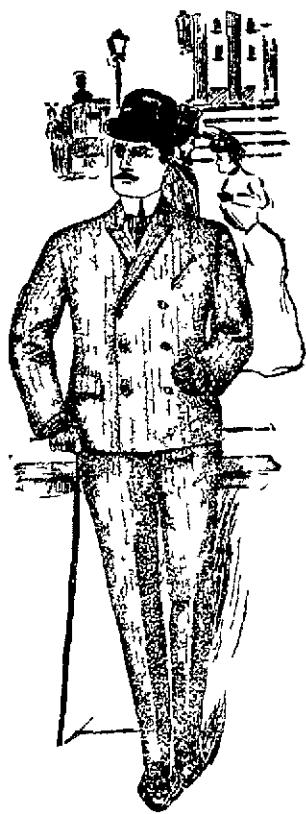


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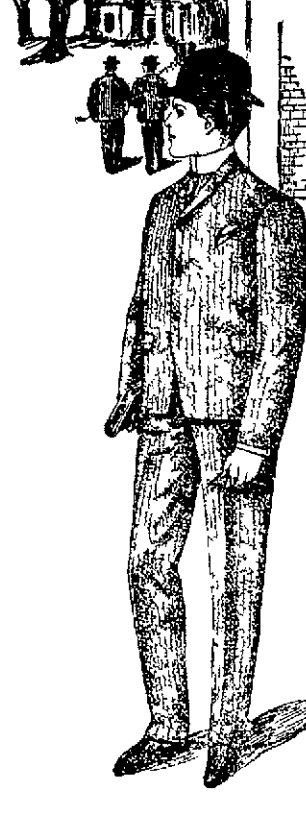
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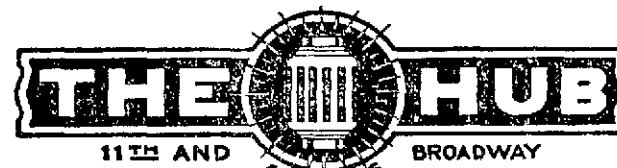
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MISS STUBBS IS TO MARRY TONIGHT.

DOLL SHOW ATTRACTS LARGE CROWD TO THE EBELL.

The evening at half past eight Miss Stubbs was the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Stubbs of Castro street, will become the bride of Mr. William Woodard of the same street.

A MUSICAL
Mrs. Robert Duran entertained a number of friends last evening at a delightful informal musical given at her home.

HOME AFFAIR
Rudolph Schilling will be host this evening at an informal dinner to take place at the beautiful Lakeside home.

INFORMAL DINNER
Miss J. Lee Fox will entertain several guests this evening at an informal dinner preceding the Friday night dance.

AT THE BAZAAR
A large crowd attended the doll show at the Ebell Club rooms yesterday afternoon and evening.

MAN FOUND DEAD; MONEY IS GONE

NEW YORK, December 2.—William R. Dorr found dead yesterday from heart disease in a Chicago hotel, resided in a handsome country home at Inglewood, New York, and was reported to have been wealthy.

FUEGEL DIES IN COLORADO

The local body of 1111s received a telegram from Pueblo, Colorado, last evening announcing the death of Hugo Fuegel, a well-known local business man.

UNIONS' PRESIDENT RESIGNS

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The resignation of the president of the International Union of Marine and Shipbuilding Workers of America was announced today.

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CHARGES TO BE HEARD.

COMMISSIONERS THIS AFTERNOON
WILL CONSIDER M'KEE-
GAN'S CASE.

At a special meeting of the Police Commission to be held this afternoon just before the regular meeting of the commission, the hearing of Policeman J. P. Sullivan, charged by John Rohan and others with violation of the rules of the department is to be taken up.

It is probable that charges will be filed this afternoon against Policeman McKeehan who was recently the com-

plaining officer against J. M. Breen, who conducts a saloon on McKeehan's eat.

Breen was charged with disturbing the peace, but was not convicted. On cross-examination, McKeehan practically admitted that differences which he and Breen had had prompted the arrest.

At the regular session the salaries of the four members of the department who were dismissed during last month on evidence satisfactory to the commission will be discussed.

When the salary bills of the Police Department were up for approval at the last meeting of the commission, it was for the portion of the month that the dismissed policemen were on the city pay roll were presented, but not approved. Since that time it is claimed that the bills of Clark, Stahl and Andrews have been assigned to an attorney who will appear before the commission this afternoon and ask that the claims be admitted. Commissioner Turner insists that the men are not entitled to any pay and is in favor of making them collect the claims at law if they have any legal rights to do so. The question of the appointment of a sergeant will also be up for consideration.

CARPENTERS IN SESSION.

FIVE MEMBERS ARE ADMITTED
TO MEMBERSHIP—WOMEN
TO MEET.

The Carpenters and Joiners' Union, Local 1667, met last night in California hall. There were five initiations and a number of applications for membership.

A called meeting will be held next Thursday to consider the advisability of changing the meeting night to Friday. Officers will also be elected for the ensuing term. The business over there will be a social for the members.

Light refreshments are to be served.

WOMEN TO MEET.

Arrangements were perfected for a meeting of the wives and relatives of union men to form a Women's Union Label League. It will take place Saturday evening in California Hall.

The members will insist upon getting union-made goods from union stores.

The carpenters are especially active in preparing for this meeting, although all the union men in the city are interested.

Mrs. Robert West, wife of the president of Local 1667 is very prominent in carrying out the project.

It is expected that the ladies will organize at the meeting and the matter has been discussed among them for several weeks. Speeches will be made by prominent unionists of Oakland as well as delegates from the Eastern States to the A. E. of L. convention. Several of the ladies interested will also address the company.

PAINTERS ASSEMBLE.

Local 127 of the Painters and Decorators' Union of America convened last night in regular session. Two candidates for membership were admitted and four applications were received. Nothing else of importance was done.

MOTHER TAKES DEAD BABE TO CREAMATORY.

Offers Her Child For Incineration and is Placed Under Arrest.

NEW YORK, December 2.—Under a technical change of transporting a dead body without a permit, Mrs. Florence Wieland, wife of an Albany, New York, business man, has been arrested in a crematory on Long Island while holding in her arms the body of her dead child, which she had taken there for incineration.

She left Albany late at night, hoping to reach the office of a specialist in New York and her child, suffering with pneumonia, died on the train.

She arrived at the crematory half-dazed from grief and without a permit the superintendent demanded

before he would accept the body for incineration, the police were notified. Upon their arrival, Mrs. Wieland became hysterical but clung to the body of her child which she carried in her arms nearly all day, and was taken to the Newton station house. Here the dead child was kept and the mother was taken to better quarters at Long Island City pending investigation.

The husband, when seen in Albany, stated that Mrs. Wieland had telegraphed to him her fruitless effort to reach a specialist and of the child's death.

A necessary certificate which had been dispatched by him, it was expected, and the tragic incident.

HARRIMAN HAS NEW MANAGER.

H. P. Thrall Placed at Head of Mail Department.

H. P. Thrall, who for more than six years past, has been superintendent of the eighth division of the United States railway mail service, the territory including California, Alaska, Arizona, Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Nevada, Utah and Hawaii, has resigned that position to accept an appointment as manager of the mail department of the Harriman railway lines.

A. H. Stephens, for four years assistant in the railway mail service to Thrall, has been appointed to succeed him, and began his duties as superintendent yesterday.

The eighth division of the United States service is the largest in the country under federal administration. The railway district of which Thrall becomes manager is greater than several of the Federal districts combined. Thrall was first connected with the United States railway mail in 1883, when he went on the road as clerk. He served on the road until 1891, when he was made postal inspector. He remained in that capacity until July, 1895, and then was made superintendent of the Pacific division of the railway mail service.

Mr. Thrall is at present in Chicago, where he will be permanently stationed. His efficiency has long been recognized by the Southern Pacific people, who planned to give him this position some months ago.

The salary of the superintendent of the Pacific division of the railway mail is \$3000 a year. The Harriman lines will give Thrall more than double that sum and it is rumored that his salary will be \$10,000 a year with a long contract.

Stephens became a clerk in the railway mail service in 1893. In a little more than eleven years he has risen to the position of the chief of the eighth or Pacific division. He first ran as a clerk on the road between Ogden and San Francisco and remained on that run until 1898. In a train wreck on the Central Pacific line at Colfax, Placer county, he was nearly killed. When he returned work he was taken into the office of the railway mail service in this city one month after Thrall was made the superintendent of the division.

Since 1898 he has worked his way through all the various office branches of the service. Prior to entering the railway mail service Stephens was a newspaper man, connected with papers in San Jose and San Francisco. He is the youngest railway mail division superintendent in the United States, being but 38 years old.

VESTRYMEN ARE APPOINTED

The following vestrymen were selected at the meetings held on Tuesday by the members of the Episcopal parishes of Oakland: St. Paul's Church, Charles E. Wood, Henry C. Tatt, Bruce Hayden, Sam Brock, Charles R. Jones, James R. Wallace, W. A. Barker, Fred Magee, Nicholas Acker, Silva Farnham; Church of the Advent, Asa Le White, Frank Albright, Edwin W. S. Good, fellow, Charles Henderson, Dr. O. L. Jones, Dr. A. K. Crawford; St. John's Church, Newton H. Barry, C. E. King, G. E. Arrowsmith, Clifton Kroll, H. H. Haasard, George E. Jackson, Oliver H. Beers; Trinity Church, Joseph Sanders, E. M. Sanborn, John Hampton, L. J. Le Conte, G. Daub, Jullen Machieu, Dr. B. S. Maxwell, J. S. Jenks, Rev. Clifton Macdon.

GOOD WORK OF SUPT. OTT

Superintendent of Streets Charles Ott is a busy official these days. When the rainy weather is on he is kept on the move by applications to have streets, sewers and the like repaired. Mr. Ott does the best he can but he cannot satisfy everybody. However, he has come to the front to meet the complaints about Alameda street between Eighth and Ninth. At this point there are giant holes in the street. As a result nearly every night there is an accident in this locality. Ott declares that within the next three days he will have the dangerous holes filled with rock.

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Whisk brooms, stag handle 50c
Whisk brooms, silver mounted 85c
Ash trays and pin trays 65c
Ink wells and pen racks, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00.

Match holders, Bohemian Glass Bowl \$1.25

Stagnant mirrors, plain or silver mounted, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25

Manicure sets, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25

Brush and comb sets, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.25.

Brush, comb and mirror sets—\$3.00 plain; \$3.75 silver mounted.

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THE LATEST NEWS OF THE DAY=4:30 P. M.

ROOSEVELT WILL NOT INTERFERE.

He Cannot Settle the Strike of the Tin Plate Workers.

WASHINGTON, December 2.—President Roosevelt today informed a delegation representing the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Tin Plate Workers that he saw no way by which he properly or legally could interfere to bring about a settlement of the strike of the union employees of the Carnegie Steel Company of Youngstown and Girard, Ohio. The company is one of the constituent corporations of the United States Steel Corporation.

The strike of the amalgamated employees of the companies has been in progress since last summer and has been accompanied by considerable violence at times. It directly involves about 20,000 men at Youngstown and 200 at Girard. Several hundred others have been thrown out of a neighborhood by the strike of the iron men.

The President of the Amalgamated Association requested the President to lay the matter before the President in the hope that he might be able to suggest a means of adjustment. Mr. Roosevelt was present to the President today by Secretary of the Interior, Theodore Roosevelt, who also introduced to the President, David Evans, organizer of the Amalgamated Association.

The situation was discussed in detail by the President (expressing his regret that the differences between the men and the company apparently were not susceptible of amicable adjustment. He said, however, that he had no authority which would warrant him to interfere in the trouble, and that he would be glad to suggest to them a way to settle the matter. He said that he would be glad to suggest to them a way to settle the matter. He said that he would be glad to suggest to them a way to settle the matter.

They will return home at once and report officially to the strikers. Mr. Roosevelt said that he would attempt to forecast the result of the strike.

HE MAY GO FREE.

Young Marine Pleads to Get Out of San Quentin.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Frederick Baker, a young marine serving life sentence for treason in San Quentin, may be freed by President Roosevelt. The boy's case is being investigated in Washington and his father in Pennsylvania has prepared a petition to Roosevelt, signed by most of the residents of Somerset, Pa., asking his son's release after nearly three years' imprisonment in California.

Young Baker is now in "Crazy Row" in the State Prison at San Quentin. His father is said to be temporarily unbalanced by his misfortune and the boy is said to be in the same condition. He was released from the prison in 1900. He had joined the volunteer army declaring he was forced to go to war.

Baker claims that while he was attached to the Charleston he was captured by the insurgent forces who on June 10, 1864, at Fort Sumter, South Carolina. He was held prisoner until January, 1900, when he escaped. He was then captured by the United States army and placed in the prison at San Quentin.

WAS GIVEN A BRIBE.

Sensational Testimony is Given in Land Case.

PORTLAND, Or., December 2.—J. W. Hildebeck of Detroit, was the first witness called in the land fraud trial today. In his opening statement he told of having been through township 11-7 many times with a surveying party, which ran the lines of the township in 1850 or 1856, he could not remember which. According to his story there were no signs of habitation on any of these claims.

"While living in this township did you ever see or hear of any of the people purported to have filed on claims there and who figure in this case as the principals?" asked Prosecutor Haney.

"No, I never did," answered the witness. "I know Frank H. Volkmann but I did not know him until I met him in Portland when I was summoned to appear before the Grand Jury."

"Do you know Dan W. Tarpley, S. A. D. Pater and Horace G. McKinley?"

"Yes, I met Tarpley at Detroit in the spring of 1901."

"Well, go on and tell the court and jury all you know about him and the others," commanded Mr. Haney.

The witness, hesitating at times, told the story of how he was induced to countenance crime by the acceptance of a bribe which he said was paid him by S. A. D. Pater.

"Dan Tarpley introduced me to Pater in the spring of 1901 at Albany, Oregon. Pater told me to come to his room and I did so. Then he said he and his associates had bought lands in 11-7 and wanted to know if I knew anything about them. He said some complaints had been made and I wanted to know if I had heard anything about them. I replied that I had not. Then he stated that if he and his associates lost the land they would not be able to find any money and it was necessary that they should not lose them."

"During the time when he was telling me about the lands Mr. McKinley came into the room and asked Pater if he was not going to get things straightened out, and at this point Mr. McKinley walked out of the room. Later I went to the hotel and went to bed."

"The next morning Tarpley paid me \$100 and Pater gave me \$5 to find out what was going on. I could not find out anything in regard to the lands."

MINT REPORT

WASHINGTON, December 2.—The Director of the Mint in his annual report shows that the output of the coinage mint at Philadelphia, San Francisco and New Orleans, which were in operation throughout the fiscal year, was the largest on record. It is estimated the gold output of the world in use as money in December 31, 1903, was approximately \$3,000,000,000, of which about one half is visible in banks and public treasuries. The estimate for the stock of the United States at that time is \$1,200,000,000, of which \$800,000,000 was in the treasury and national banks.

RELEASE BOY JAIL BREAKER

Bert Young, the fifteen-year-old boy who achieved some notoriety by breaking out of the Sixth street police station, was released by Police Judge Smith this morning as E. Lewis, the complaining witness on a charge of disturbing the peace, decided that he would not swear to a complaint.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT.

Burglar is Captured While Robbing a Store.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Caught in the act of the commission of a burglary, George Gross was arrested by Special Policeman Flanagan this morning and is booked at the City Prison. Gross was captured in the grocery store conducted by F. M. Meyer at Geary and Divisadero streets. He admitted to the arresting officer that this was his second visit, and that on the occasion of his first entrance to the store he had stolen \$4.50 from the cash register. This was buried in a vacant lot, and the officer found the coin where the crook told him it had been concealed.

RIGHT TO WATER.

Superior Judge Hands Down New Decision Favoring Company.

RIVERSIDE, December 2.—Judge Noyes of the Superior Court this morning handed down his decision in the case of Newport et al. vs. the Temescal Water Company, finding in favor of the defendant.

This is a case of wide interest on account of its bearing upon the rights to underground water resources.

The Noyes decision is at variance with the ruling of the Supreme Court on similar lines, in the case of Katz vs. Walkshaw, where it was held that underground streams can be used only on lands overlying and adjacent.

Following is the pith of the problem as stated by Judge Noyes: "The principle of the law is that when the vitality of the soil is not impaired by the drainage of the sub-surface water supply, the freehold itself is not irreparably injured. The drainage, if any, is of a special nature, to be specially pleaded in an appropriate action for damages, and an injunction remedy cannot be invoked."

TALK OF WATER AND FOREST

SAN FRANCISCO, December 2.—The annual convention of the California Water and Forest Association assembled to-day in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. It was called to order by its president, W. H. Beatty, Chief Justice of the State Supreme Court, who spoke of the association's work during the past year.

He then introduced Professor Samuel Forster of the Department of Agriculture, who read a paper dealing with the relation of forestry and irrigation, advocating the creating of more forest reserves and giving an account of his own investigations for the past year and the plans of the Department for the future.

E. S. Sterling representing Gifford Pinchot, the head of the Bureau of Forestry, read a letter from Mr. Pinchot to the association. In which he dwelt on the subject of the prevention of forest fires and advised the association to keep out of politics.

The afternoon session was devoted to the consideration of a bill providing for the protection and preservation of forest lands within the State, which will be presented to the next Legislature. It proposes to create a State Board of Forestry, and provides for the appointment of a State Forester, who shall be a member of the Board. To their care is entrusted the State public lands and parks.

THE RACES

EMERYVILLE, December 2.—The scratches to-day were as follows:

Second race—The Gadfly.

Third race—Bell Read, So Lichtenstein.

Fourth race—Gaucha.

Fifth race—Bose Ely, B. B. Ragon, Mogregor.

Sixth race—Pure Dale, Leadwater, Revolt, Al Waddle.

FIRST RACE.

Instrument (Davis), 8 to 1.....1
Crigh (Smith), 8 to 1.....1
Glenarvon (McLaughlin), 6 to 1.....3
Time, 1:14.

SECOND RACE.

Waterspout (Greenfield), 9 to 1.....1
Wisteria (Logue), 15 to 1.....2
Hindoo Princess (Smith), 14 to 5.....3
Time, 1:13 3-4.

THIRD RACE.

Redan (Michaels), 5 to 1.....1
Dr. Sherman (Hilgessen), 11 to 10.....2
Little Wally (Davis), 13 to 1.....3
Time, 1:03.

FINGER CRUSHED.

W. E. West, a machinist, was taken to the Receiving Hospital this afternoon suffering from a mangled finger, which was crushed in some machinery. The member had to be taken off at the first joint. The injured man lives at 40, San Pablo avenue.

NEW YORK, December 2.—The directors of the International Paper Company have authorized an issue of \$10,000,000 five per cent gold bonds. The sum authorized \$5,000,000 will be issued at once and the proceeds used to make improvements and to create a larger working capital.

CAN SELL STOCK.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 2.—Hairs of the late Thomas J. Clunie, the Sacramento capitalist, have stipulated with the Probate Court that they be allowed to dispose of certain stocks and bonds belonging to the estate at private sale.

NO TRACE OF COIN.

Wells Fargo Officials Believe Money Was Stolen.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 2.—No trace has yet been found of the \$15,000 in gold which is missing from Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express office.

The officials have failed to find any clew as to where it might have been sent by mistake, and are now inclined to believe that it was stolen.

The theft, it is declared, must have been committed by some one in the office, as no outsider could have obtained entrance to the place where the sack of coin was placed while waiting shipment.

RACE ENTRIES FOR TOMORROW

First race—Futurity course; 3-year-olds and upward; selling.

7451 The Lieutenant (Stover).....50
7477 Komomo (Parker & Co.).....103
7503 Instrument (Baird).....80
7499 Pickaway (Jackson).....80
7473 Stitcho (Ferguson).....110
7492 Monica (Ezell).....90
7504 Coroner Kelly (Moyle & Co.).....102

Second race—Six and a half furlongs; 3-year-olds and upward; selling.

7492 Foxy Grandpa (Coffey).....103
7497 Battler (Fine).....104
7498 Tannhauser (Hayes & Co.).....100
7493 Pencil (McGrossham).....111
7504 Glenarvon (Summers).....101
7503 Hindoo Princess (Polk).....110
7492 Inspector Munro (Fox).....115
7479 Langford James (Cotton).....112
7459 Allie Carey (Pleur de la Seta).....116
7498 Momo (Sheridan).....109
7455 Sterling Towers (Stockton).....109
7505 Scherzo (Pueblo Stabl.).....103

Third race—Futurity course 2-year-olds; selling.

7498 Bearskin (Skinner).....105
7451 Edrocan (Lagoria & Co.).....107
7493 Pencil (McGrossham).....111
7504 Glenarvon (Summers & Co.).....101
7492 Bose Ely (Blissman).....104
7498 Jerusha (Ernstson).....102
7475 Mogregor (Clifton Stabler).....107
7473 Lady Tashin (Mrs. Rogers).....99
7503 Dixie (McCafterty).....102

Fourth race—One and a sixteenth mile; 3-year-olds and upward; d.

7494 Gaucha (Zurly).....98
7494 Bombardier (Skinner).....98
7494 Veterano (Vivell).....114
7494 Elliott (Daly).....114
7494 Arcade (Jennings).....108

Fifth race—Seven furlongs 4-year-olds and upward; selling.

7492 Ripper (Linton).....107
7495 Bronze Wing (Fontaine).....97
7493 Theodore L. (P. E. Smith).....102
7492 Homage (Stephenson).....101
7497 Karabel (Boettger).....111
7505 Flaneur (Blanchi & Co.).....111
7495 San Lucion (Wadsworth).....92
7491 Lady Tashin (Mrs. Rogers).....99
7493 Hippomane (Deponay).....107
7497 Dr. Long (Tanver).....106
7503 Optimo (Price).....102

Sixth race—One mile and one hundred yards; 3-year-olds and upward; selling.

7502 Chickadee (Whiteman).....107
7495 Isabella (Ronaldson).....101
7502 North West (Clifford).....98
7492 Bab (Cahill).....102
7500 Col. Van (Pountain).....101
7498 Dunganor (Knebeika np).....93

THE RACES

EMERYVILLE, December 2.—The scratches to-day were as follows:

Second race—The Gadfly.

Third race—Bell Read, So Lichtenstein.

Fourth race—Gaucha.

Fifth race—Bose Ely, B. B. Ragon, Mogregor.

Sixth race—Pure Dale, Leadwater, Revolt, Al Waddle.

FIRST RACE.

Instrument (Davis), 8 to 1.....1
Crigh (Smith), 8 to 1.....1
Glenarvon (McLaughlin), 6 to 1.....3
Time, 1:14.

SECOND RACE.

Waterspout (Greenfield), 9 to 1.....1
Wisteria (Logue), 15 to 1.....2
Hindoo Princess (Smith), 14 to 5.....3
Time, 1:13 3-4.

THIRD RACE.

Redan (Michaels), 5 to 1.....1
Dr. Sherman (Hilgessen), 11 to 10.....2
Little Wally (Davis), 13 to 1.....3
Time, 1:03.

FINGER CRUSHED.

W. E. West, a machinist, was taken to the Receiving Hospital this afternoon suffering from a mangled finger, which was crushed in some machinery. The member had to be taken off at the first joint. The injured man lives at 40, San Pablo avenue.

NEW YORK, December 2.—The directors of the International Paper Company have authorized an issue of \$10,000,000 five per cent gold bonds. The sum authorized \$5,000,000 will be issued at once and the proceeds used to make improvements and to create a larger working capital.

MANNERS NOT VERY GOOD.

Prof. Miller Roasts the Students at U. C.

BERKELEY, December 2.—Professor Adolph Miller of the department of economics of the University of California lectured to his class this morning on "College Manners," severely criticizing the dress and general appearance of the California college men. He compared the students of the State University with those of Stanford and said that the Berkeley men suffered in the comparison, declaring that many of the California students were careless of their dress, and looked as though they were underfed.

His remarks created quite a sensation among the students and bid fair to create a greater stir, as did the severe criticism of the University social life by "Agatha," that appeared in an Eastern magazine some time ago. "Agatha" held up to ridicule the University on account of the lack of culture among its students. This latest criticism, coming as it does from one of the most distinguished members of the faculty, will cause no end of comment.

Professor Miller paid a visit to Stanford University yesterday and his remarks this morning were called forth by what he saw there. He said that the Stanford men showed more pride in their personal appearance and behaved more manly in the class-room, than do the Berkeley students.

He said, however, that the University spirit in Berkeley is improving and that he hoped before long the students would so conduct themselves as to make criticism unnecessary.

The immediate cause of Professor Miller's remarks was a disturbance created in the class by one of the students, who fell while tilting back in his chair.

REFUSED ALIMONY

The petition of Mary Azaveda to be allowed a monthly sum for maintenance was denied by Judge Ellsworth this afternoon. She acted in such a manner that Judge Azaveda her husband, who is a San Leandro liquor man, sued her for divorce on the ground of cruelty. He was unable to make out a case sufficient to warrant the granting of a decree, but he did begin an action looking to securing sufficient money to maintain himself in making his case with Judge Ellsworth said that while Azaveda had failed to prove cruelty against his wife, he had made a sufficient showing to warrant him in not allowing the wife to tax him with her support. During the trial of the case Azaveda charged her wife with having bitten and scratched him and otherwise made life unpleasant for him.

LIEN ON LAND

James Irvine of San Francisco, who recently found that some valuable lots of his situated at Dwight Way and Choate street in Berkeley had been sold without his knowledge by a fictitious James Irvine to the Shephardson brothers, one of whom is an attorney in San Francisco, has begun suit to quiet title to the property in question.

The Shephardsons deeded him back the property but these houses have been built upon the premises and upon these Warren G. Shephard and others have loaned money. They claim a lien on the land on account of the money given them and Irvine is now bringing them into court to show what title they have.

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STEINBERG—In this city November 28th to the wife of Meyer Steinberg, a son, (still born).

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HELD ON MURDER CHARGE.

Lew Campbell Must Answer For Killing His Wife.

Lemuel D. Campbell was held by Police Judge Smith this morning to answer for trial to the Superior Court on a charge of murdering his wife, Laura W. Campbell, on November 16 last. Campbell is held without bonds.

The preliminary examination brought out several features of the case. Among them was the fact that Campbell tried to commit suicide after he had shot his wife. The failure of the pistol to go off resulted in the failure of this plan. The pistol was produced in court but it was impossible to put the hammer down. This is the only reason Campbell says that he is alive to-day facing the murder charge.

This morning the examination only continued a few moments. Dr. L. L. Rigen was called and asked as to the condition of the corpse after death.

Attorney A. L. Frick representing the defendant did not put on any testimony but contented himself with cross-examination only.

He did not outline the defense he will make at the trial, but it is said that untruthfulness of the deceased will be one of the points.

WEBER YELLS IN NIGHT.

AUBURN, December 2.—At about midnight last night a blood-curdling yell woke the prisoners in the Auburn jail. They sprang out of their beds imagining that murder was being done. Hardly a minute passed before another yell rent the night air. This time the cry seemed to come from Adolph Weber's bed and the boy sprang out of his bed. Shortly afterwards, the key was heard to turn in the jail door and Adolph hopped back into bed. When a guard entered the jail and passed the suspect's bed Weber was apparently fast asleep and the man went out again. Hardly had the key grated in the door when Weber was out of bed again. He paced the floor the rest of the night, only getting into bed when he knew that the deputy was about to make his rounds.

The prisoners are divided in opinion as to what the suspect said when he called out in his sleep. But all say there were two distinct cries.

LEACH TO RUN

Abe P. Leach announces that he will be a candidate for the Republican nomination for City Attorney.

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SUCCESS OF DOLL SHOW.

West Oakland Home is Being Greatly Benefited.

The doll show which is being given in Ebel Hall for the benefit of the West Oakland Home is proving a great success and is being largely attended. It has been the custom every year for a number of charitable inclined ladies of Oakland to give a doll show for the benefit of the West Oakland Home, an institution in West Oakland where foundlings, orphans and half orphans are cared for.

The show being given in Ebel this year is one of the best ever given by the ladies. Not only are a number of handsome, dainty and beautiful dolls on exhibition, but many original and useful articles are on sale. A large number of them have been contributed by prominent society folk of Oakland and many dolls will be obtained for the benefit of the West Oakland Home.

One who has placed a hand for the success of the doll show is Mrs. Arthur P. Holland. She has contributed several articles to the sale, but more original and useful articles are on sale. A large number of them have been contributed by prominent society folk of Oakland and many dolls will be obtained for the benefit of the West Oakland Home.

The show is proving successful, however, and the ladies who are acting as living pictures are receiving lots of praise for the way in which they carry out their characters.

No doubt considerable money will be obtained from the show and the West Oakland Home will be greatly benefited thereby. We have recently added a hospital department to the home and made general improvements. The exhibition will continue tonight tomorrow afternoon and tomorrow night. The proceeds of the show will be used for the benefit of the home and a most pleasant evening may be spent at the show. One hundred members of the local lodge of Elks attended the doll show and made purchases.

DEATH NOTICE.

FUNERAL of Wm. B. Ingersoll will be held at Masonic Temple at 2 p. m. under the auspices of Oakland Lodge No. 1555, F. & A. M.

Too Late for Classification

COMPETENT woman wants work by the day, nursing, cooking, laundry. Ask for M. A. Young, 808 24th or tel. R-2131.

WANTED—5-room flat or cottage, furnished, notify at once. Box 739 Tribune office or Tel. 4245.

GIRL, Swedish, taking care of 3-year-old child; two in family; good home and wages. 408 8th st.

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WANTED—A good second-hand single harness for cash, must be a bargain. Box 738 Tribune office.

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THURSDAY afternoon, six-month-old pup; half Shepherd and terrier; had on lavender and red party chain at 1000; liberal reward. 406 14th st. R.

LOST—Black Shepherd dog, white breast, brown spots over eyes, answers to name Michael, liber reward if returned to 101 E. 8th st.

BOARD and room, private family; \$20 per month. 541 14th st.

YOUNG girl light house work; small family; no washing; good wages. 1127 San Pablo ave.

WANTED—Girl or woman wanted for housework; wages, \$15. 712 4th st. h.

MUTUAL INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION, 39-65 Bacon Bldg.

Boy for furniture house, \$5 per week. Gas fixture hanger, \$5 per week. Two first-class butchers, \$55 per month. Two salesmen, \$27 per week and com. Satisfactory references.

One experienced domestic helper, \$5 per week. One young lady bookkeeper and stenographer, \$8 a week. Young man for hardware store, \$20 to begin.

1 watchmaker, \$20 per week. 1 saddle maker, \$20 per week. 1 stenographer, \$100 per month. 1 assistant wrapper, \$10 per week. 1 A-1 artist, \$10 per week. Young man for switchboard hotel, \$5 a week.

WANTED—A woman to cook six o'clock dinners. Apply 213 Linden.

THREE or four unfurnished housekeeping rooms for man and wife; must be sunny and centrally located. Address Box 738 Tribune.

40-ROOM lodging house; splendid location; half cash; also delivery store; 4th best business in town. F. K. 451 8th st. Broadway.

YOUNG man wants work of any kind; understand care of horses, garden, etc. Box 741 Tribune.

FOR SALE—Four horses, weight pounds; two double deck seats; good as new; sold separately if desired.

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Watson on the Solid South.

However impracticable Thomas E. Watson's theories of government may be, he undoubtedly has a clear conception of the causes of the present impotency of the Democratic party. He trenchantly pointed them out in his Crawfordsville speech wherein he showed that there could be no cohesion between extreme radicalism and moss-grown conservatism, no community of interest and aims between the individualism of Jefferson and the paternalism of Bryan and Weaver. But the most noteworthy feature of his address was its frankness in dealing with the race question at the South and the political solidarity of the Southern States. He stated a self-evident truth when he said the South could not afford to remain solid. A solid South has created a solid North. This is an unhealthy condition, and is particularly detrimental to the material interests of the South, which has sacrificed its political independence to what is virtually a superstition. Watson says nothing keeps the South solid but an out-of-date sectional animosity and the shamelessly hypocritical cry of negro domination. No truer word was ever uttered. Nearly every Southern State is ruled by a ring of politicians whose methods are shocking to the moral sense and whose battle cry is a baldly false pretense. As Watson says these politicians will sacrifice the National ticket at any time to retain the local monopoly of holding office and managing politics. That would be a small matter if the South itself were not being sacrificed to sordid aims and petty schemes, if the high-souled statesmanship that distinguished Southerners of the past were not being trampled under the feet of such men as Vardaman of Mississippi and Tillman of South Carolina—coarse, narrow men of small calibre and low aims. Way is it that the South is no longer represented in the Senate by the Lamars, the Gordons, Garlands, Hills, Stephens, Hamptons and Vests of the past generation and the Calhouns, Bentions, Walkers, Clemenses, Clays, Sonles, Cobbs, Grundys, Crawfords, Masons and Pointdexters of a still more remote period? Jefferson Davis would scorn the political companionship of Vardaman, and Calhoun would have felt degraded to have a colleague like Tillman. The South of to-day is represented in Congress by inferior men of the type of Yancey, Wigfall, Tombs and Hammond. It has no voice practically in choosing Presidents and the taboo is on its sons who desire to aspire to the Presidency. Such is the inevitable consequence in remaining sectional instead of being National, of persisting in being solid on a local race issue that takes no account of the economics and policies of the Nation at large. Mr. Watson is trying to lead the South in the wrong direction on many propositions, but he is everlastingly right in trying to lead it out of the political slough into which it has fallen.

When Congress convenes the President will send a whole batch of arbitration treaties to the Senate for ratification. This is pretty good coming from a President who has been pictured as glorying in war and consumed by military ambition. The Democratic Senators will have to vote for these treaties or save their faces, but in doing so they will have to confess that their attacks on the President were pure buncomb.

Chicago will soon have a subway system in operation much more extensive than that of New York. It will have 60 miles of tunnels against 27 in New York, but they will be devoted to freight traffic exclusively, whereas the New York subway is devoted to passenger travel. The Chicago subway was constructed to facilitate the interchange of freight between railroads, and its delivery without drayage to the principal mercantile and manufacturing establishments. All the stores in the wholesale district have their cellars connected with the subway, and will be able hereafter to load and unload freight direct from the cars. Chicago is the greatest railway transfer point in the world, and the new subway will enormously expedite and cheapen the cost of freight handling, which has long been hampered by street congestion and labor troubles.

It is quite obvious that a policeman who arrests saloon-keepers on false charges because of refusal to serve free drinks has no business on the police force. When it is attempted to enforce petty blackmail by a gross abuse of authority, it is high time the Police Commission stepped in and protected the public from outrages of this character. The fact that several policemen have recently been detected committing burglaries while on duty suggests that malicious arrests and blackmailing should be promptly and severely punished.

In the Southern States the aggregate vote for President this year fell 400,000 short of the aggregate vote cast in 1900, although there has been a marked increase in the population of that section. This may be ascribed partly to the fact that the prospect of Republican success in these States was hopeless, but the heavy falling off in the Parker vote proves that something else was at work. Evidently many Democrats staid away from the polls either because they did not want to vote against Roosevelt, or because they were displeased with the political associations of Parker. In the principal Northern States the Republican vote increased heavily while the Democratic vote fell off.

A Deserved Promotion

The promotion of A. H. Stephens to be Superintendent of the Eighth Division of the Railway Mail Service, vice H. P. Thrall, resigned to accept the responsible position of manager of the mail department of the Harriman lines, is a merited recognition of capacity and faithful service. Mr. Stephens, who was formerly a newspaper man, entered the service as a mail clerk on the Ogden route in 1893, and was subsequently made chief clerk, being the first to hold that position, and organized the chief clerk district on the Pacific Coast. Attracted by his ability and grasp of detail Mr. Thrall made Mr. Stephens his assistant, a position he has filled in a way to win the praise and confidence of the Department. He has now won a deserved reward. Mr. Stephens is the youngest Division Superintendent in the mail service. Mr. Thrall, whom he succeeds, ranks as one of the most efficient men in the railway mail service. His marked ability in mail handling and dispatching brought him the offer of a handsome position from the Harriman lines.

HIGH PRAISE FOR RICHARDSON.

Editor F. W. Richardson, of the Berkeley Gazette, is a candidate for the postmastership of that place, which is to become vacant next spring. Mr. Richardson is a lifelong Republican, has always conducted a straight-out Republican paper, and is known as a straightforward, honest business man. Whether on the score of services to the party or of personal ability to fill the duties of the position, he is entitled to the office. Under the present administration it has become quite the custom to reward the newspaper packhorses of the party by giving them positions of this character. Mr. Richardson is President of the State Press Association and has a wide and influential circle of friends in the newspaper business, as well as out of it, who would be highly gratified if he should realize his ambition and secure the appointment.—Alameda Encinal.

"Jones was a great drinker when I went away."
"Yes, but he's cured of the drink habit now."
"You don't say so? What did he take?"
"Wood alcohol."—Houston Post.

SINCE JENNIE WENT AWAY

BY LESTER J. SKIDMORE.

Since Jennie went away, ah, me!
How desolate it seems;
The past is but a memory
That bides in pleasant dreams.
For in my dreams I live again
The golden days of yore,
That ceased when Jennie went away
To ne'er return once more.

Since Jennie went away, the hours
Are days, and months and years;
And brooding o'er the happy past
My eyes o'erflow with tears.
The world has changed for me since then—
The hour marked by the day
When my sad heart was left bereft,
And Jennie went away.

For where is woman that can play
The part, with all the grace
Embodied in the rare outline
Of form and smiling face.
But all her charming loveliness
In vain I would extoll,
For poets, artists—all must fail
To picture out the soul.

One heart, at least, is sorrowful
Beyond words to express,
And harkens to each memory,
In utter loneliness.
The reason? Well, 'tis plain to all;
The heart must e'er portray
Life is a shadow none can lift
Since Jennie went away.

SOME PASSING JESTS

"Why how could you break your engagement with Jack?"
"We were seasick together."—Life.

Goodley—Why don't you go to work?
Beggar—I am workin'. I'm a collector o' rare coins
Goodley—But a nickel is not a rare coin.
Beggar—It is to me.—Philadelphia Ledger.

"If ev'rybody worked as hahd," said Uncle Eben, "holdin' down a situation as dey does gettin' it, dar wouldn't be no busin'ss dat wain' well run."—Washington Star.

Gladys—I refused Ferdie two weeks ago and he has been drinking heavily ever since.
Ethel—Isn't it about time he stopped celebrating?—Pack.

Nordy—Washington could not tell a lie.
Butts (mournfully)—I wish my wife was that way. She can tell one of mine a mile off.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

"Very well, sir," said Dr. Quack, after his quarrel with the undertaker: "I'll make you sorry for this."
"What are you going to do?" asked the undertaker; "retire from practice?"—Philadelphia Press.

Little Waldo's Board and Keep.
Father has to earn the money that it takes to buy the meat
And the eggs and bread and butter and the other things to eat.
And I guess I'm awful costly, for he used to often say
When we'd sit around the table and I stored the things away,
That it was no fun to labor for my vittles and my clo's,
And sometimes he'd make me sorry I was ever borned; I'd s'pose
He'd be glad if I would die
And get taken to the sky.
'Cause then he'd not have to be
Workin' all the time for me
And complainin' about slavin' and not ever bein' free.

Wunst when he was at the office and I thought of what he said
'Cause that mornin' I'd been howlin' for more jelly on my bread,
I told mother that I didn't want to live here any more,
And would like to be an angel over on the ahinin' shore,
Where I'd never eat a mouthful and where he'd not have to earn
What it took to board and keep me, gettin' nothin' in return,
And she didn't tell me why,
But she started in to cry
Kind of soft and said she thought I paid well for all I got,
And the way she seemed to take it made me sad, I tell you what.

Something lucky must of happened to make father glad that day;
He was kind and lovin' to me in the evenin' any way!
Every little while he'd pet me and he said he didn't care
How he had to work if only he could have me with him there,
And he spread my bread with jelly and he let me leave the crust.

And he give me jam and sugar till I nearly thought I'd stoy,
And he told me on the sly
That it made him glad to try
To keep earnin' more and more
For the things I et and wore—
And I'm glad I ain't an angel over on the ahinin' shore.
—Chicago Record-Herald.

CRUELTY IN AFRICA.

For years Edmund D. Morel has been waging war on the barbarities that are inflicted by the representatives of European civilization on the natives of West and Central Africa. The territory in question is under British rule. He writes: "In four years the natives of the Congo territories have been robbed in the name of philanthropy and civilization of produce collected by them to the tune of nearly \$40,000,000. And that is the least count in the indictment. The number of human lives that have been sacrificed directly and indirectly, in the process is appalling to contemplate. One of the trusts, Mr. Casement British consul at Boma, tells us, expanded in three years 72,000 cartridges in the production of India rubber, and he quotes a diary shown him testifying to the use by the government of 6000 cartridges in six months on the Mambouzo river, which means that 600 are killed or mutilated, because for every cartridge used the soldiers must bring back a right hand. The diary adds that it means more than 6000 for the people told to repeatedly that the soldiers kill the children with the butt of their gun."
Quoting from a Congo Casement again, he gives the story of a little native child who talks of suffering at the hands of the soldiers: "Then the soldiers came again to fight us. We ran into the bush. After that they saw a little of my mother's head and the soldiers ran quickly toward the place where we were and caught my grandmother, my mother, my sister and another little one younger than I. Several of the soldiers argued about my mother because each wanted her for his wife, they finally decided to kill her. They killed her with a gun. They shot her through the stomach and she fell, and I saw that I cried very much."
Morel says, as there is an incident in the rubber war:
At the old trade of exchange and barter is destroyed. The trusts hold the monopoly of native production and native labor. With an army of about 30,000 men they force the natives to bring in rubber and ivory. If enough is not produced, it is said, they hold the women as hostages, they flog and torture them, they chain up the men on stakes, they cut off the hands and even of little children, and finally, if the rubber supply is still insufficient to please the slaveholders in Belgium, they massacre the village wholesale and leave the place desolate as a warning to the idle.

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A FATHER'S EXPERIENCE.

Trying to Give His Little Girl Cod Liver Oil—Says He Had Regular Circue.

An interesting incident was told by a man in The Owl Drug Co.'s store the other evening.
The man came in and bought a bottle of Vinol, and while waiting for change asked the clerk in conversation.
Said he: "We were told to give our little girl cod liver oil. I bought a bottle and took it home. We had a regular case trying to get the child to take it. Then it did not agree with her at all. The oil upset her stomach. She did not see any better. So I told the doctor how we had failed, and he at once recommended you Vinol, saying that it contained all the curative, healing and strengthening properties of cod liver oil without a drop of oil, and that children all love it."
"I took home a bottle and we began to give it to our child right away. Almost from the first dose we noticed a change, and she has gained flesh, strength and appetite and sleeps well every night."
"I don't believe any one should give a delicate child old-fashioned, nauseating cod liver oil or emulsions when Vinol is so delicious, and it will do so much more good than any other tonic. It is simply a wonderful medicine for weak, puny children, and I am recommending it to my friends."
We guarantee Vinol will make weak puny children strong, robust and rosy, strengthen and invigorate old people, and build up the run-down, tired and debilitated as nothing else can. If it fails we will return every dollar paid for it. The Owl Drug Co.

Hints for the Ladies.

A silver crumb set, consisting of the pan and brush, can be purchased for \$2.50.

Silver wishbones fitted with invisible spring is a new design for sugar tongs.
Sterling silver bonbon spoons in pretty and new designs are offered for 75 cents.

A pretty gift for the housekeeper is one of those blue decorated china salt boxes, to be had for 19 cents.

French dress robes of wool materials for street and house gowns are selling for \$5 each and are a bargain.

One of the new games out for the holidays is called Sherlock Holmes and is to be had for 45 cents in the shops.

Duck clippers are new and are something like pruning shears and are for dealing with the joints of fowls.

Sofa pillows are shown having coverings of burned leather, and some of them are wonderfully artistic. These covers are usually plain, being done in a simple scroll design.

Spice cabinets are always useful to the woman who likes things dainty and convenient in her kitchen. The pan wooden kind with eight drawers are to be had for 35 cents, while more decorative kinds cost up to \$5.

An evening coat always makes an acceptable gift to the girl who is in a social whirl. One pretty one is of a light shade of tan and is lined with the palest of blue satin, wide bands of heavy lace being used for trimming.

Thanksgiving as well as Christmas will call for a cranberry set. These sets are of glass in pretty colors and designs and consist of a deep oval-shaped dish for the cranberry sauce and six small dishes in like shape for individual serving.

It takes a strong-minded woman to pass the array of holiday silk petticoats now on hand. They are a mass of silk and lace prettiness, coming in every color and combination to be thought of. One especially lovely one is of pale pink tulle with a deep accordion plaited ruffle; over this is a second ruffle made of pink velvet ribbon in lattice work, with handsome lace edging.

It Saved His Leg.
P. A. Danforth of La Grange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Aneka Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by Osgood Bros., druggists, Seventh and Broadway and Twelfth and Washington.

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Sell as your customer likes to buy.

That's how to do business, in tea or anything else.

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That Beautiful Ioga Ware

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Ioga ware is that rich, shaded brown ware, artistically decorated with pictures, heads and floral designs.

You'll see the steins, vases, plaques, match-holders, in our windows, and there's a plain price-tag on each.

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Its bargain news you'll not fail to set upon when coming down-town to-morrow or Monday.

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OUR LEADER is a full length Cravenette coat worth twelve dollars; our price \$8.50
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See the new BLOUSE CRAVENETTE full length coats new arrivals \$25.00

BROADTAIL VELVET SUITS; worth thirty-five dollars; now \$27.50
These are made of fine silk chiffon velvet with extra wide plaited skirt, jacket bloused all around, neatly trimmed; lined with white satin.

CUT ON TOURIST COATS—
The \$5.50 kind; special \$4.95
The \$10.00 and \$12.00 kind; special \$8.50
The \$15.00 kind; special \$10.00
\$20.00 and \$25.00 Tourist coats, special \$15.00

A Big Fur Special

FUR NECK SCARFS—Four-in-hand shaped; lined with squirrel; worth three fifty; special \$1.95
EXTRA LONG FUR BOAS; worth four dollars; special \$2.50

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Children's Hats, Caps and Bonnets
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Millinery Section Store News

The cut of the season—even the new lines of "ready-to-wear" that have just made their appearance, have been included. For the next ten days we offer our entire stock of TRIMMED HATS AT COST.

Here are a few items of "Ready-to-wear" specials:
Line 1 98c Line 3 \$3.50
Line 2 \$1.98 Line 4 \$4.50

IN OUR UNTRIMMED HAT SECTION we offer SATIN FINISHED BEAVERS—French felt hats, hand made velvet shapes, values to two fifty, at the phenomenally low price of 98c

CHILDREN'S SAILOR HATS 48c, 75c, 98c, \$1.48

Doll Hats Free with Every Child's Hat at \$1.00 and up.

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That's the Queen of all fabrics to-day; we're selling more of these velvets to-day than we formerly sold in weeks. That's because of their extreme popularity and Kahan's is one of the few places that carry these much wanted goods in all shades; including the popular shades of brown.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY—

The dollar grade 79c
The dollar fifty grade 98c
The two dollar grade \$1.48

Little Things at Little Prices

FRUIT and VEGETABLE SHAPED PIN CUSHIONS; the latest novelties 15c

LEATHER HAND BAGS—the very latest designs, leather handles, regular two dollars 98c

POINT VENICE LACE STOCKS—in cream and ecru; new designs, at all times sold at twenty-five cents 15c each

POINT VENICE CAPE COLLARS—a beautiful large sized cream and Arabian colored collar, regular three dollars \$1.98

ALL SILK RIBBONS—Kahn's special, all silk wash ribbon; in all the latest and popular shades 15c

CHILDREN'S HOSE—1x1 ribbed fast black, mace cotton, double knee, heel and toe; "Onyx brand" 25c

LADIES' WOOL COMBINATION SUITS—Jersey ribbed; natural gray, high neck, long sleeves, two dollar grade \$1.48

WOOL WAISTING—28 inches wide; basket effect; red and white, tan and white, blue and white, green and white, and black and white; six bit values 48c

FLEECE BACK PIQUE—32 inches wide, in figured and cord effect; twenty-five cent values, special 19c

HUCK TOWELS—extra heavy; 42x19; good bit values 9c

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TEN THOUSAND ARTICLES.

A Chapter Only From The Lace House Holiday Book

So much that interests and delights women, so much that will help solve the problem of holiday shopping is here, that many chapters would be required to tell of it all. But it is not necessary. Years of profitable and pleasing experience have taught the shoppers of this vicinity that they will always find the right things here, at the right time and at the right prices. A few paragraphs about the newest lines, however, may not come amiss.

Walking Skirts--Special at \$4.95

There's a bit of history attached to these Walking Skirts. A maker of stylish skirts is anxious to increase his business on this coast. He selected a representative firm in each large city and made special prices to more fully introduce his goods. His offer to us was particularly favorable, and the skirts are here—regular \$6.50 values, priced **\$4.95**

They are all-wool garments in very desirable gray, blue and brown mixtures, there is a variety of styles including the popular killed model and each is up-to-date in every detail

Gentlemen's Handkerchiefs

Somehow or other, a man always expects to receive enough handkerchiefs at Christmas, to last him all the year; that's why there's such a complete showing in this great woman's store.

Men's good cambric Handkerchiefs—neatly hemmed 5c, 6¼c, and up to 12½c ea
Men's good, plain linen handkerchiefs, hemstitched, all widths of hem 15c, 25c, 3 for \$1.00, and up to 75c ea
Men's initial handkerchiefs, made of soft, durable japonette, silk embroidered initial 10c ea

Cambric Initial Handkerchiefs: good size, large letter 12½c ea
Box of 6 good cambric Handkerchiefs, with embroidered initial, 55c box
All-linen Handkerchiefs with hand-embroidered initial, 25c, 3 for \$1.00

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS

for men are here in magnificent variety: small or large initials; narrow or wide hem. 25c, 50c, 75c

REEFERS and MUFFLERS

for men come in black, cream and color. Initials for working stamped free of charge, prices 75c, \$1.25 and up to \$2.75

Silk Kimonos

In these garments made of soft, easy-draping Jap. silk, is found the essence of grace and comfort in the boudoir. On grounds of tan, white, red and blue are those pretty Japanese designs of weird birds and landscapes that are exceedingly artistic; the facings are of solid color—prices **\$2.95, \$3.50, \$3.95**

Long, flowing kimono robes in same style, **\$5.95, \$6.50, \$7.95**

Novelties in Fans

The new fans are a pleasing mixture of delicacy and strength—dainty affairs that will evidently wear well.

Children's Fans of pink, white or pale blue silk, relieved with a touch of bolder colors and spangled, are priced 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c

Ladies' Fans are mostly white, but they are beautifully ornamented in a variety of ways—spangled, beaded, hand-painted, applique, lace-trimmed, etc., wood and bone sticks, prices are 50c, 75c, 85c, and up to \$4.95

Holiday Veilings

This department has just received its holiday lines of new and staple Veilings—a good time to choose a good veil is now. Made chiffon veils in black, black and white, brown, blue, white, lavender, green, burnt orange, to champagne, 1½ yards long. Ornamented with chenille dots, velvet dots, embroidered figures, hemstitching—50c, 65c, 75c and up to \$2.00. Novelty mesh veilings—hair mesh, fish net and other weaves, tuxedo, dotted or plain; in black, brown, navy and white, 25c, 35c, 50c yd

Silk Petticoats

The rustle of a silk petticoat always suggests good dressing and dignity. These evidences of correct taste can easily be yours. The prices of colored silk petticoats begin at **\$3.50**; of black at **\$4.95**; other grades in black and colors up to **\$10.00**.

AT \$6.25—Stylish Petticoats of good quality of taffeta in changeable and black; one style has a hemstitched circular flounce, another has a deep, accordion plaited flounce and four tucks. Both these petticoats are exceedingly good values.

AT \$8.75—Petticoat of heavy taffeta in changeable brown and blue, also in black, accordion plaited flounce finished with ruching.

Wrist Bags of Merit

Nearly every lady and miss seen on the street and in the stores—even at church—carries a wrist bag. One is tempted to ask what women did when there were no such things. Certain it is that they will always be popular in some form or other, so it is impossible to make a mistake in giving a Wrist Bag for a Christmas gift. Some of the best to be found anywhere are:

Walrus grain Wrist Bags—a wide variety. Vienna or braided handles, moire lining; some with independent purse and card case \$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50, and up to \$3.50

Genuine Seal Bags, gun metal and gilt mountings, all fitted with purses moire lined \$2.50, \$2.95 and \$3.25

New shaped black Walrus Bags with gun-metal mountings, moire lining, Vienna handles, fitted with purse and card case \$4.50

A line of genuine Japanese leather bags, gilt mountings; bold coloring; separate coin purse, moire lining \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00

Walrus Wrist Bags, in new shades of tan, leather covered frame, gilt finishings, with card case, purse and mirror \$7.00, \$9.25

Comfort-Giving Shawls

Facinators and Skirts

Hundreds of warm, useful presents of crocheted garments will be selected from this department of the Lace House during the next twenty days; nor will any gift give more satisfaction and comfort.

SHOULDER SHAWLS

Square and of good size, knit and hand-crocheted, black, white and all colors 35c, 50c, 75c, and up to \$3.50

UMBRELLA SHAWLS

—in all desirable colors, the better grades in chinchilla effects, 50c, \$1.25 and up to \$2.50

CASHMERE SHAWLS

Several grades in black with neat fringe \$1.50, \$1.75 and up to \$8.00

BLANKET SHAWLS

The kind to throw over the shoulders when traveling; in black and all shades of grays and browns; also the old-time, shoulder shawls in checks and plaids 50c, 65c and to \$1.50

HAND-CROCHETED SKIRTS

Well-made, useful garments, in light and dark shades \$1.50, \$1.75 and to \$2.25

MISSSES' CROCHETED SKIRTS

12 to 14 years—all good colors \$1.25, \$1.50

PLAY CHESS.

Interesting Contest Drawing to a Close at the University.

BERKELEY, December 2.—The chess tournament that has been in progress since the beginning of November is rapidly nearing a close. Nine men entered, all of whom played excellent chess throughout the tournament. The four "pin" men who entered have been making especially fine showings. Several of the new men have also done well but as the reports of all the matches have not yet come in it is impossible to pick the winner.

A circumstance auguring especially well for the future of the Chess Club is the interest that Professor Putzker is taking in the game. Professor Putzker has aided the men not only by advice on the fine points of the game, but also by putting a spirit of enthusiasm in the men.

The final tournament to pick the intercollegiate team will begin immediately after college opens next term and will continue up to the time of the matches with Stanford. California's prospects for the intercollegiate seem brighter than ever with the following "pin" men in the contest: A. D. Weitbrech, '05, J. L. Dobbins, '05, E. K. Strong, '06 and Dickson, '05.

President Weitbrech has called a meeting of the officers next Tuesday at 5 p. m. in Stiles Hall.

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DAIRY STUDENTS VISIT STOCKTON

BERKELEY, Dec 2.—The short course students, accompanied by Professor Major, will leave tonight for the Prince stock ranch at Stockton to spend Saturday investigating conditions at the yards.

JACOB RHIS TO LECTURE FOR COLLEGE SETTLEMENT

BERKELEY, Dec 2.—The second lecture of the series of concert and lectures being held for the benefit of the University Settlement at West Berkeley is to be a talk by Jacob A. Rhis, the famous New Yorker, on the subject, "The Hardships of Life." He will appear at Hearst Hall Wednesday evening, December 21st, at 8 o'clock.

The Cloak Store at 10th and Clay may be a little out of the way



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LINEN WEDDING CELEBRATED.

SURPRISE PARTY GIVEN MR. AND MRS. DOWNING AT SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, December 2.—A very pleasant surprise party took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Downing, 101 Haywards Avenue. The occasion was the "linen wedding" of the Downings, as it was the thirty-fifth anniversary of their marriage.

The company, consisting of fifty-three persons, assembled at Mrs. Downing's home and proceeded to their destination in a body. Mrs. Downing's niece, who was in the secret, and unlocked the front door and the party was able to enter without warning, taking the couple completely by surprise.

After congratulations had been offered games were played and a snort program rendered. Several recited and sang and Professor McCoy favored the company with a number of selections on the piano. Mrs. Downing, who is a native of Scotland, was requested to read something in the

HAPPY RESULTS OBTAINED

By the Use of the New Scalp Antiseptic.

It wouldn't take long to number the hairs in the heads of some people, the reason being they haven't many. In most instances, however, the fault is their own. A germ at the root soon plays havoc with the most luxuriant growth and causes it to fall out. A remedy for this has recently been discovered, called Newb's Hair Restorer, that acts by destroying the germ that does the damage, besides removing all impurities from the scalp. In addition, it permits new life and vigor to enter the scalp and happy results are sure to be obtained from its use. It is sold by leading druggists. Send 10c in stamps for sample. To The Herpelie Co., Detroit, Michigan. Bowman & Corbett, Special Agents.

dialect. She chose Carlton's story of the dispute on the moors. Refreshments brought by the visitors, were served. Mrs. Anderson, representing the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, presented Mr. and Mrs. Downing with a donation of linen household articles, and Mrs. Toole, who brought a large bouquet of bride roses.

Mrs. M. Knox and Mrs. Helms were the prime movers in planning the affair.

JUDGE MEETS TONIGHT.
The Golden Wave Chapter, No. 103, of the Eastern Star, will hold a public installation of officers tonight at Masonic Hall. After the officers have been inaugurated the guests will dance until a late hour. Mrs. Clayton's orchestra will furnish the music for the occasion. Admission will be strictly by invitation.

A few of those who are to be installed are Mrs. Oaea, worthy matron, John A. Holgren, worthy patron, Lucy C. Walbrath, treasurer, W. J. Royle, sentinel, and E. Anderson, chaplain.

LOCAL NEWS.
Mrs. Mamie Lingo is very ill with pulmonary trouble. She is attended by Dr. Coleman.

Mrs. Carrie E. Kerry of San Leandro, a recent graduate of Pacific Christian Hospital, now holds the position of office nurse with Dr. Brown at Hayward. She has lived nearly all her life in this town.

LETTERS ADVERTISED.
The letter list for San Leandro is as follows: C. G. Blake, Manuel Cordova, Jr., John W. Grove, Jose Quintana, Luis, Mrs. Mamie Meese, Frank Rogers, Jose Ignacio Perez, Helen Rogers, Mary P. S. Sive, James Sapwell, Antonio Jose Velro.

MRS. FRANK P. CHURCH, P. M.

BUILD NEW PATHWAY ON COLLEGE GROUNDS

BERKELEY, Dec 2.—A new path is being constructed on the campus, to lead north from North Hall. It will be of great service to those students coming from North Berkeley. The path is straight and but one eucalyptus tree must be sacrificed in its construction.

NEW AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT QUARTERS

BERKELEY, Dec. 2.—New quarters have been fitted up for the department of irrigation on the third floor of the Agricultural building. The department is growing rapidly and the extra room was badly needed.

POINT RICHMOND ITEMS.

WOODMEN OF WORLD HOLD MEETING—PERSONAL NOTES OF INTEREST.

POINT RICHMOND, December 2.—At the last meeting of the local camp of the Woodmen of the World thirteen candidates were initiated, the degree team from Mission Camp assisting in the work. After the business meeting a banquet was enjoyed in Fraternal Hall, at which the Women of Woodcraft presided.

Speeches were made by a number of those present, including G. C. Staley and G. C. Henley. The following are the newly initiated members: A. Thompson, H. Slater, J. S. Staley, W. B. McRacken, James Cluckshark, Ross D. Stafford, A. E. Gleason, W. E. Luce, C. Bates, B. Ferriar, W. Held, M. E. Hughes, Frank Rhodes.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Richmond Water Company, which was postponed, will be held on December 8 at the company's offices on Richmond Avenue.

RETURNS HOME.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Adams have returned from their honeymoon and are living on the Phoebe road to recovery.

Mr. Mason and his bride have also returned from their wedding journey and Mr. Mason is back at his post with the Pacific Coast Oil Company.

IS OUT OF DANGER.

Miss Ursell Olds, who has been very near death's door, is now out of danger and on the high road to recovery.

She has shown great recuperating power and on this with the efficient treatment of her physicians, was the means of saving her.

were recent visitors here.

Sheaf Vele of Martinez was in town recently.

STARVED TO DEATH.

Our text today is the story of the miser who taught his ass to live on straw, of which he gave him a smaller portion every day.

Just as the miser had got him so trained as to eat one straw a day—the poor ass died.

He is an ass who starves himself to death—ass thousands are doing, misled by foolish teachers—because their stomachs have become too weak, through neglect or disease, to do the work which nature has provided for their stomachs to do.

Because the engine is out of gear, would you commit him the junk heap?

Why, no! Mend it!

Commit slow suicide because your digestive organs leak?

Certainly not! Take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

One thing is as sure as shooting. You can never get a new stomach.

You must mend it, or it will lead you a miserable existence.

The only way to mend it is to take Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

This has been practically and scientifically demonstrated by the many thousands whom Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have positively cured, after every other treatment of medicine, mineral waters, pills, and slow, suicidal starvation, had failed.

These methods are all unscientific—therefore false.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are scientific—therefore true, and successful.

Having cured so many thousands—many of whom doubtless have suffered more than you do—do we claim too much when we say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will surely do good to you?

Surely not.

Especially when we make it plain that no promise is made to cure more than one disease—Dyspepsia.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are a positive cure for just this one disease.

They are a scientific combination of ingredients which search out the weak spots in all the digestive organs and make them strong and well.

They have an immediate digestive action on undigested food, and thus, while curing weak organs, they at the same time help them to do their work.

They thus stand for all that is good in the medical treatment of Dyspepsia, and for nothing that is bad.

They are not a fad but a fact.

They are safe, pleasant, certain and permanent, and can be taken by the most delicate invalids without fear of harmful results.



OUR REPEATER SALE

Same as our stores gave away last year—for the holiday trade before stock taking—your choice of any make Family sewing machine given away free to every tenth customer that enters our store on Friday, Saturday or Monday, with every suit or overcoat we make to order for

NO MORE **\$15.00** NO LESS

with an extra pair of pants free. Remember we give you a suit and an extra pair of pants for \$15.00. 5000 different styles to select from. Every style garment included in this sale—Single-breasted sacks, 4-button sacks, double-breasted sacks, cutaway frocks, single-breasted Prince Alberts, tuxedos, full dress suits, all go in this sale.

We have prepared our shops and cutters for 1000 suits a week. You can get your suit made to order, as soon as you want it. A few of the new and up-to-date goods that go on sale Friday, Saturday and Monday. Black or blue, finished or unfinished, worsteds, Scotch Tweeds in all their latest shades. Brown in 25 different shades. Broadcloth, Creeps, French blue or black worsteds, and hundreds of different styles we cannot mention in this ad. Our price:

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JULIUS WATER CO. DIRECTORS.

WOMAN STOCKHOLDER ASKS THE
COURTS TO ORDER AN AC-
COUNTING.

Mrs. Jeanne D. Center, stock-
holder in the Contra Costa Water
Company, has commenced suit in the
San Francisco Superior Court through
her attorneys, Baggett, Jones & Sheri-
dan, against the directors of the cor-
poration to compel an accounting for
\$295,000 expended by William F. Dingee,
president of the company, by authori-
zation of the following resolution
adopted by the Board of Directors on
April 7, 1903:

"Whereas, question has arisen as to
the validity of the title of the Contra
Costa Water Company to certain of its
realty and other holdings; and whereas,
many suits are threatened against
the Contra Costa Water Company on
account of such alleged defects in title,
and expensive litigation is likely to en-
sue; therefore, be it

"Resolved, that there be, and there
hereby is, put into the hands of the
president of the Contra Costa Water
Company the sum of \$300,000 any part
or all of which sum he is hereby au-
thorized to expend in the purchase of
outstanding titles, for the compromise
of prospective litigation, and in any
other manner that he may deem best
to protect the interests of the com-
pany and secure it in its title to the
property in question."

A second authorized the payment to
Mr. Dingee the sum of \$295,000 to
reimburse him for an expenditure to
that amount for the purposes speci-
fied in the first resolution.

In her complaint Mrs. Center alleges
that this money was misappropriated.
She names the corporation and the fol-
lowing directors as defendants: Wil-
liam F. Dingee, Charles J. Bernis,
Thomas H. Pheby, H. G. Stevenson,
A. H. Winn and A. W. Rose.

The plaintiff alleges that she has been
unable to find any voucher showing
how the money was expended, and
averts that Edward McGary, the secre-
tary, informed her there was none on
file in his office. She recites that she
served the directors with notice of a
demand that they bring suit against
Mr. Dingee to compel him to refund
the money, which demand not being
complied with after the lapse of thirty
days, the present action has been in-
stituted.

The plaintiff alleges, on her informa-
tion and belief, that no question what-
ever as to the validity of the titles of
the Contra Costa Water Company to
any of its realty or other
holdings and that no suits were
ever threatened, and she believes
that no part of the \$295,000
was ever paid out for the purposes
enumerated.

She also sets up a general allega-
tion that the stockholders were de-
frauded in the purchase of the Pacific
Creek water rights.

The officials of the Contra Costa
Water Company view the suit with ap-
parent unconcern, though they decline
to discuss the matter. Mr. Dingee re-
ferred the matter to his attorney, Gar-
rett McEnaney, who briefly dismissed
all inquirers with this statement:

"All we have to say is that the mat-
ter will be fully met in the courts."

Mrs. Center is the lady who cre-
ated something of a sensation by ad-
dressing the court in her own behalf
as an individual stockholder when the
application of the Contra Costa Com-
pany for an injunction against the City
of Oakland was being heard before
Judge Hanford. She purchased a block
of stock when the company was pay-
ing dividends and has been exceedingly
restive since dividends ceased and the
stock declined in selling value by
reason of hostile agitation.

EDGAR ESTATE READY FOR HEIRS

A decree of final distribution of the
estate of the late James Edgar was
signed by Judge S. F. Hall this morn-
ing and the accounting of Susanna L.
Edgar of her administration was ap-
proved. The estate was appraised at
\$20,160.15 and after paying her expenses
of administration, funeral expenses
and collateral inheritance tax there
now remains in the hands of the ad-
ministratrix the sum of \$13,456.46 to
be distributed as follows:

To Archibald Edgar, a brother of
deceased \$1,985.25; to Susan Davis,
a sister, \$1,985.25; to Robert Edgar,
a brother, \$1,985.25; to Margaret J. Mc-
Donald and Sarah Jensen, nieces, \$1,
085.25; to James Edgar, Margaret J.
Kitt, Arthur Edgar, Charles Edgar
and Archibald Edgar, nephews and
nieces, to each of them \$237.88; to
Margaret Davies, Alice Bradley, Emma
Gibson and Richard Davies, nephews
and nieces, to each of them \$234.85;
the remainder of the estate being one-
half to Susan L. Edgar, the widow of
deceased, who inherits \$6,355.60.

MARRIAGE LICE ISSES.

The following marriage licenses were
issued by the County Clerk today:
Manuel F. De Rosa, Berkeley, to
Mary C. Murphy, Berkeley, \$20.
Daniel Hanlon, San Francisco, to
Clara Shogren, San Francisco, \$20.
William J. Decker, S. F., to
Genevieve Ghigliotti, Oakland, \$15.
Walter W. Imhoff, S. F., to
Amelia B. Edmonstone, S. F., \$15.

COUNTRY CLUBHOUSE DEDICATED.

Officials Meet Around
Banquet Board at
Claremont.

The new clubhouse of the Claremont
Country Club was formally opened
and dedicated last night, at a dinner
held here by the Board of Directors
and its Advisory Committee. Yester-
day was inaugurated the new electric
car service, instituted by the Transit
Company, carrying members to the en-
trance to the club grounds.

The clubhouse is ready for occupa-
ncy and the grounds are ready for the
identifiatory ceremonies and tourna-
ments to be held hereafter. Every-
thing has been accomplished that the
Board of Directors agreed to do, hence
the evening was given over to mutual
congratulations. Everyone felt that the
success of the club is now assured.
Every person around the board had to
respond to a toast, and it is needless
to say that many clever speeches were
made and bright things said.

Those present at the dinner were:
President Goodall, presiding; directors,
P. J. Bowles, Frank M. Wilson, Sam
Bell McKee, F. Van Sledright, George W.
McNair, Jr., and William Pierce John-
son, a full board and the following
members of the Advisory Committee:
A. Schilling, George E. de Golia, Prof.
Charles Mills Gayley, Anson L. Blake,
A. S. Macdonald, Franklin Bangs,
Thomas Richard, J. O. Cadmon, R. M.
Fitzgerald, Walter J. Mathews and
Wm. Bissell.

Tomorrow will be opening day at
the club, the formal opening hours be-
ginning at 1 o'clock and lasting until
5. The fifth Regiment Band will play
between those hours and tennis tourna-
ments will be held upon both courts;
a team match of ten on a side, between
the Oakland Scottish Bowling Club,
James P. Tenth, president, and the
San Francisco Scottish Bowling Club,
A. A. Tickner, president. The golf
tournament begins at 2 o'clock, open
to all amateur golfers. Light refresh-
ments will be served and all those hav-
ing invitations will surely have a pleas-
ant afternoon.

HER HUSBAND HAS AN AWFUL THIRST

After eighteen years of effort to stop
her husband from wasting his sub-
stance in drinking over a bar, Mrs.
Kate Doyle was granted a divorce
from Edward Doyle this morning by
Judge Melvin on the ground of habitual
intemperance. He has been shoemaker,
undertaker and fireman in turn but
owing to his unquenchable thirst he
was not able to hold any of his posi-
tions long. The plaintiff stated that
in the last twelve years her husband
had contributed but \$5 towards her
support. She was also allowed to re-
sume her maiden name of Kate Breen.

INSTRUCTION OF ARMIES HIS STUDY

ROME, Dec. 2.—Rear-Admiral John C.
Watson, U. S. N., retired, has arrived
here from Paris and is studying the in-
struction, physical and moral, given in
Italy to recruits for the army and navy.

ARRESTED FOR THEFT.

Edward Richardson was arrested last
night by Policeman Ahern for the alleged
robbery of the rooms of S. Lowenberg
and Al Smith in the Ross House. Rich-
ardson had the clothes taken from the
room on his person. He says the men
owed him money and that is the reason
he took the goods.

Many a society woman who is a chronic
invalid, plies herself on her lovely
disposition.

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of the best and most practical minds in the world have been devoted
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merits are:

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SPECIAL SALE, SATURDAY, DEC. 3

1,000 Prime Rib Roasts of Beef
per lb. 12 1-2c
1,000 Sugar Cured Hams, per
lb. 12 1-2c
1,000 Sugar Cured Bacon, per
lb. 14c
1,000 5-lb. pails Lard—each, 50c

Tenderloin Steak, per lb. 12 1-2c
Porter-House Steak, per lb. 15c
Mutton Chops, per lb. 10c
Roast Pork, per lb. 11c

All kinds of sausage at the
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Among People

There is always considerable interest
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laden with gift-articles to gladden the
heart.

Among the pretty presents on display
at the W. B. Allen Company, there is
one of particular interest, it being the
prize offered by the W. B. Allen Piano
Company to prospective piano purchas-
ers. This well known firm has selected
a series of handsome presents to be given
to each purchaser, as follows:

First Prize—Amount paid on the
purchase of a piano.

Second Prize—Check for \$25 on pur-
chase of a piano, your first payment
down.

Third Prize—Ladies' or gents' beau-
tiful dress suit case complete, on dis-
play at the W. B. Allen Company, corner Four-
teenth and Broadway.

Fourth Prize—A real sable opossum
fur scarf, on display at Kahn Bros., the
Always Busy Store, Twelfth and Wash-
ington.

Fifth Prize—Gent's beautiful silk um-
brella, on display at the Hub, clothing,
Eleventh and Broadway.

Sixth Prize—\$5.00 to any person who
can give the best answer to the ques-
tion, "Why can the W. B. A. Co. sell
pianos in their respective grades at a
low price than any other piano house
in California?"

OUR BIG HOLIDAY SALE OF PIANOS
Begins tomorrow; read carefully the fol-
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Among the list of instruments included
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One Steeple, at \$125.00 reduction from
regular price.
One Ludwig, at \$100 reduction from
regular price.
One Hamilton, \$175 reduction from
regular price.
One Howard, \$105 reduction from
regular price.
One Everett, \$135 reduction from
regular price.
One Hardman, \$100 reduction from
regular price.

Many other bargains may be had in
styles which the factories have discon-
tinued making at greatly reduced prices.
Our 1905 styles are now daily arriving,
and we must have room for them.

Scores of people have taken advantage
of these offers and the last three weeks
before Christmas will be busy ones for
the W. B. Allen Company.

A large shipment of high grade pianos
arrived some weeks ago to meet the de-
mand for holiday trade.

Prospective piano purchasers should see
prices and investigate prices on pianos.

THE W. B. ALLEN CO.
Corner Ninth and Broadway.
Largest wholesale and retail piano
dealers west of Chicago. Stores in eight
States. The W. B. A. Co. buys and sells
more pianos than all the other stores in
California combined. Store open every
evening during sale.

Concerts every Tuesday and Thursday
evenings till Christmas.
L. G. ATKINS.
Mgr. Oakland Store.

WIFE AFRAID TO HAVE HIM AROUND

Daniel J. Andrews was pronounced in-
sane by Drs. O. D. Hamilton and A.
Shirk this morning and committed to
Napa Insane Asylum. He has been there
twice before and recovered sufficiently to
be given his freedom but six months
liberty seems to have brought him back
to his old state of mind. He believes
the adventure have some kind of
him and his brother-in-law, Theo. Le
Clair, an expressman, living at 2153 West
street, says his actions are so queer that
his wife is afraid to have him around.

DO NOT FEAR FAILURE OF BANK

BUFFALO, N. Y., Dec. 2.—The Ger-
man-American Bank, on which a run
began yesterday, opened its doors as
usual at 9 o'clock today. At 10 o'clock
there were about twenty withdrawing
depositors in line. All were paid promp-
ly. Vice-President Schilling said, there
was no doubt whatever of the bank's
ability to withstand any run but he did
not anticipate that more than a few
thousand dollars would be withdrawn.
President Emery stated that the German-
American Bank had about \$500,000 in
available currency and within twenty-
four hours could have \$2,500,000.

OYSTER RISsoles.

Roll puff paste very thin, dotting it
over with fine large oysters in pairs
which have been slightly stewed, sea-
soned and drained very dry. Moisten
the paste around the oysters, pressing
more paste firmly over them and cut
into shape with a pastry cutter. Fry
a golden brown in very hot, deep lard.

LEA'S FRESH CANDIES

Between train and car, rush in
and get a box either going to or
coming from San Francisco; made
daily best French creams and
chocolates in the center of the
depot block.

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Below we offer TEN SPECIAL MONEY SAVERS for Saturday's
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No. 1—\$25.00 Ladies' Suits, fancy mixtures, beautifully trimmed \$9.50
No. 2—\$15.00 to \$20.00—Misses' Suits, most all colors, Cassimere, Che-
viots, Venetians and fancy mixtures—just a few left. Price \$7.75
No. 3—\$5.00—Walking Skirts, 13 gored in fancy mixture. Price \$3.75
No. 4—\$8.00—Ladies' Short Coats, Kersey Cloth, in three shades of tan
also blue. Price \$3.75
No. 5—\$3.00—Children's short coats in blue and oxford grey, sizes 6-8,
10 and 12 years. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY on Eleventh street \$1.45
No. 6—Infants' Slips, tucked and embroidered; regular price 50c;
for \$25c
No. 7—Children's Flannelette Dresses, pink and blue checks and stripes
\$25c
No. 8—Children's Flannelette Dresses; dark colors; worth 50c. Price 60c

Furs and Millinery

No. 9—Waldorf Scarfs; knee length; you save 33 1-3 per cent at our
price \$2.50
No. 10—French Sailors, in blue, brown and white scratch felt, worth
\$1.50

Attention for One Moment!

Do not fail to look at our Ladies' Suits at half their regular prices.
Our patrons will bear us out that they can get better values for their
money of US than elsewhere. This you will learn for yourself when
once you see the goods we offer you.

Hosiery and Underwear Specials

Boys' extra heavy school hose; triple legs, double foot, elastic; regu-
lar 25c. Special Saturday \$1.50
Ladies' fast black hose with white foot, elastic top; 15c value. Special
Saturday \$1.10
Ladies' pure wool vests or pants; full finished seams; colors, white or
natural grey; regular \$1.25 value. Special Saturday \$1.90
Children's wool union suits, Onetta style, in white or natural grey;
regular \$1.25 value. Special Saturday \$1.90
Ladies' wool equestrienne tights; in pink, blue, natural grey or black;
\$1.50 value. Special \$1.90

Money-Saving Groceries

SCHILLING'S BEST MAKING POWDER, per can \$3.50
guaranteed absolutely pure; results always pleasing.
SNIDER'S RED RIBBON or BLUE LABEL CATSUP; full size bot-
tle \$1.10
Enough said.
NEW ENGLAND NONESUCH MINCEMEAT \$1.8c
Needs no recommendation; you have used it before, you will use it
again. Packed package.
NEW GLACE CITRON, ORANGE and LEMON Peel; regular 20c lb.
15c
SEEDED RAISINS, full weight, one-pound package \$1.50
STOCKTON FLOUR, guaranteed the best 10-pound sack or money
back \$2.25
EASTERN SUGAR-CURED PICNIC HAMS, fine flavor, mild cure,
8 1/2c
FRESH RANCH EGGS, dozen \$3.00
SANTA CLARA PRUNES, Fancy, extra large, pound \$5c
10-lb box \$5.00

Our Toy Dep't is Ready

Holiday shopping made easy by our successful plan of having Toys,
Dolls, Games, etc., arranged on tables, making it easy for you to select,
saving time and money. The following prices will be on separate
tables:
5c, 9c, 12 1/2c, 18c, 25c, 38c, 48c, 68c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, up to \$2.48.
Select your presents now, we will lay them aside and deliver when
you want us to—10 per cent premium coupons issued and accepted as
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SEASON, CAN BE FULLY ATTENDED TO IF YOU COME HERE.

CARVER'S CUT OF LAST WEEK

Our display of carvers in-
cludes the best American and
English makes; handles of stag
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Carving knife and fork, in con-
venient box \$1.50 per
set

Carving sets of 3 pieces in hand-
some boxes—the work of West-
ern Carvers, the American Cut-
lery Co., \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4.00 and
up to \$10.00 set

Carving sets of 5 pieces, includ-
ing special knife and fork for
small game \$7.00 set

SOLE AGENTS.

If any of your gas or electric fixtures require fixing for the
Christmas store display or the home entertainment—we are fully
prepared to do it with satisfaction and dispatch.

PIERCE HARDWARE Co.

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PORK CHOPS AND FRIED APPLES.

Season the chops with salt and pep-
per and a little powdered sage; dip
them into bread crumbs. Fry about
twenty minutes, or until they are done.
Put them on a hot dish; pour off
part of the gravy into another pan to
make a gravy to serve with them, if
you choose. Then fry apples, which
you have sliced about two-thirds of
an inch thick, cutting them around the
apple so that the core is in the centre

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WE BANK ON WHAT WE HAVE, AND WHAT WE ARE DOING TODAY. EVERYTHING IS BRIGHT AND METHODS OF PRICING ALWAYS THE MOST POPULAR.

Holiday Neckwear

The Keller display of neck adornment is superior in quality to any around the bay. It is a most exclusive lot of neckwear and any man would be proud of a piece of it. .50c, 75c to \$1.50

Holiday Shirts

\$1.00, \$1.50
—over two hundred new patterns that are yours alone. If you purchase them, being exclusive to us in this locality. The novel and delicate figures on these new shirts is a pronounced tribute to the textile designers. They show more elegant art than any fancy shirts ever sent out by the country's leading shirt-makers.

Holiday Headwear

This display is larger and more varied than that carried by many exclusive hat stores. It includes the most stylish headwear for men, youths and children—and always at popular prices. The newest Hanes models are particularly swell though giving \$3.00 worth of value always. . . . \$3.00

Merchandise Orders

These orders apply to everything we sell. Last year we issued some for \$300 while the highest was for \$100.00. Keller's Orders furnish a pleasing medium by which to give a man a handsome Keller-suit, or a comfortable Smoking Jacket; or a stylish hat; neckwear; in fact anything that a man wears.

Smoking Jackets

\$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50, \$9.00
Nothing pleases a man quite so much as a Smoking Jacket, nothing pleases him more than one selected from Keller's variety of novelties. The smartest Smoking Jackets we have ever seen—and prices lower than ever.

Holiday Hosiery

Among the haberdashers of the Coast, it is recognized as a fact that Keller's values in socks are unapproachable. Every weight, every color, every new design is here. No man, however particular he may be about the manner in which his feet are clothed, ever leaves Keller's without getting exactly what he wants. .25c, 50c, 75c

M. J. Keller Co.
Leading Ladies' Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers.

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FOUND GUILTY OF CHARGE.

J. SCHMIDT CONVICTED OF DISTURBING NEIGHBOR'S PEACE.

FRUITVALE, December 2.—Wednesday afternoon Judge Geary tried J. Schmidt on a charge of breach of the

peace. He was arrested a week ago by Constable Carroll on complaint of E. Gurle, his next door neighbor. A dispute arose over some tools and in the heat of argument, as Gurle claims Schmidt became violent and used loud and abusive language. The prisoner was released on \$25 bail and was in court when the case came up for trial. After the evidence on both sides had been heard he was found guilty by the court. Sentence was suspended for two weeks, Schmidt being released on probation.

WOODMEN ENTERTAIN.
A pleasant social entertainment was given last night by Diamond Camp, No. 10465, Modern Woodmen of America. The event occurred in Upper Fruitvale Hall and was strictly invitational, only members and their friends being present. A jolly evening was passed in playing games and

listening to a musical program rendered by the members. Later in the evening a simple banquet was partaken of, followed by toasts and after-dinner speeches.

POSTOFFICE MOVED.
Yesterday evening the Fruitvale postoffice was installed in its new quarters. It now occupies the handsome building just erected by Leavers and Thornhill for George Land at a cost of \$1,000. It has been leased to the government for ten years at \$300 per year.

This morning the office opened for business in its new home. The structure is a very handsome one. It is two stories in height, painted a light cream color, and has an ornamental front. Four Gothic pillars support the overhanging upper floor and give the building a decidedly classic appearance.



WHAT THE EARTH PRODUCES.

Are We Children of Nature?

WHO can but admire the beautiful things in Nature—the glory of the landscape, the beauty of the meadows, the beauty of the sea and the land.

When we can admire these things, we are children of nature. The earth has nourished us through unknown ages of human existence. Is it not true that the earth supplies us with everything that we really require for existence? We can live on vegetables and fruit which the earth produces. We would probably be better off today if we had a race without meat. Have you ever thought that it is probable that the earth supplied us with the means to keep our bodily vigor, our health, if we only knew it? The animals know by instinct what is good for them and will search until they find in some plant what they need for correcting indigestion or constipation, etc. Is it, therefore, not possible that there are roots and herbs supplied by nature which will cure the diseases that afflict human kind? That is why Dr. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., has such faith in his "Medical Discovery." Years ago, when he was in general and active practice, he found that a combination of certain herbs and roots made into an alcoholic extract, without the use of alcohol, would always put the stomach into a healthy condition, nourish the tissues, feed the blood and nerves and put healthy tone into the whole system.

There are some people who can lose fat to advantage, but the loss of flesh is one of the accepted evidences of failing health. As flesh-making process begins in the stomach, so naturally when there is loss of flesh we look first to the stomach for the cause. And the cause generally found to be disease of the stomach and digestive and nutritive acts, resulting in loss of nutrition and consequent physical weakness.

restores the lost flesh by curing disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition and enabling the perfect digestion and assimilation of food from which flesh and strength are made. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood and entirely eradicates the poisons that breed and feed disease. It thus cures scrofula, eczema, erysipelas, boils, pimples and other eruptions that mar and scar the skin. Pure blood is essential to good health. The weak, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people experience is commonly the effect of impure blood. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery not only cleanses the blood of impurities, but it increases the activity of the blood-making glands, and it enriches the body with an abundant supply of pure, rich blood.

"I was all run down, very nervous, and suffered terribly from stomach trouble, which the doctors pronounced indigestion," writes Mrs. Wm. Morey, of Marshall, Mich. "I doctored for a year without permanent relief. Was advised by a friend to try Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and after the use of nine bottles I was cured. I can heartily recommend the 'Golden Medical Discovery' to any one suffering from stomach trouble. My husband was also greatly benefited by its use." "I am pleased to tell you that three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has cured my husband of liver complaint and indigestion," writes Mrs. G. Hall, of Novar, Ontario. "He suffered for a long time with pain in his right side and had to leave off work several times. Tried three doctors here but they did not do any good; also tried several kinds of patent medicines but received no benefit. Then I wrote to you and you advised us to try your 'Golden Medical Discovery.' We got a bottle at once and before my husband had taken all of this one bottle he was feeling ever so much better and able to work again. He continued with the 'Discovery' until he had taken three bottles and is now feeling better than

for years. We both thank you, and, if you think by publishing this it will benefit other sufferers, you are at liberty to do so. We have got several friends to try your 'Golden Medical Discovery' for different complaints and I am pleased to say that it has never failed. We wish you every success." Accept no substitute for "Golden Medical Discovery." Nothing is "just as good." Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cleanse the clogged system from impurities. FREE. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth-bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

CASH PRIZE FOR STUDENT DEBATERS.

Hundred and Fifty Dollars to be Awarded to Winner of Bonnheim Contest.

BERKELEY, Dec. 2.—To-morrow night at Siles Hall the winners of the first part of the Bonnheim ethical contest will compete. The five men who won the preliminaries were announced the day before Thanksgiving. They are: V. A. Andrews, '06, Edward Blackmar '06; E. P. Griffiths, '06, W. J. Musgrove '06, and H. A. Stout '05. Each of these men, by the terms of the new agreement, receives a premium of \$20, while the winner of the contest tomorrow night will be awarded \$150. The subject for the discussion is "The Ethics of the Open Shop" (the word ethics being used in its narrow sense, or in any technical manner). Albert Bonnheim, of Sacramento, who founded this unique contest, stipulated that the purpose of the competition, both in the dissertations and the discussion, should be not so much to obtain new facts or new truths in ethics as to place the truth already at hand before as many students as possible so that they might be encouraged to take greater interest in questions dealing with ethical problems. The dissertations were judged on the points of terseness, clearness, argumentative ability, scholarship and form. The discussions Saturday night will occupy 15 minutes each, and the award will be made to the man who makes the most comprehensive discussion and able presentation of the subject.

TO ELECT EDITOR. BAR OUT CHILDREN.

New Chief to Be Chosen For College Daily. Unruly Juveniles to Be Kept From Greek Theatre Concerts.

BERKELEY, December 2.—Joseph P. Leeb is to be made editor-in-chief and Harry L. Stoddard business manager of the California College Daily, at a meeting of the stockholders on the paper this afternoon. Leeb will take the place of William Hale who was suspended by President Wheeler on account of his out spoken editorials. Hale's retirement created quite a sensation, as he was one of the most prominent and best liked men of his class. Leeb, who comes from Los Angeles, is the son of a French Consul. As he is known to be an exponent of the administration, it is not expected that his articles will cause him any trouble.

NANCE HAS STILL MORE NEW RULES

BERKELEY, December 2.—Captain Nance stated yesterday that in accordance with the date of examinations, Monday, December 17, will be the last day of drill for this term. During October the captain ordered the new infantry regulations from Washington, but as yet they have not arrived. These involve many radical changes such as movements by squad formations instead of by fours, and are now employed. Whether or not there will be material changes in the system used by the University cadets, Captain Nance has not yet decided.

STEPHENS TO GIVE EXTENSION LECTURE

BERKELEY, December 2.—On the 5th of this month Professor H. Morse Stephens will deliver another lecture on the Napoleonic period in Europe for the San Francisco University extension center in the Art Gallery of the Mechanics' Institute. The subject of this lecture will be "The First Wars of the Empire, 1805-1807." The only other lecture of the course to be given this term will be on "The Napoleonic Empire in Europe, 1807-1810" will be discussed. The course will be continued next year.

LADIES AID SOCIETY TO HOLD BAZAAR

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Eighth Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church will hold their annual bazaar of useful and fancy work at Odd Fellows' Hall, East Twelfth street and Eleventh avenue on Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings, December 8th and 9th. A clam chowder supper will be served on Friday at 6 p. m. Among those on the program will be Mrs. M. Melvin Dewing, Mrs. Isabel Walcott, Mrs. George W. Evans, and others of his famous Chinese specialties. Those in charge of the different committees and booths are: Committee of arrangement, Mrs. J. C. Walker, Mrs. G. G. Cunningham, Mrs. Fanny Webb, Mrs. C. C. Newell, Mrs. West, Mrs. R. D. Beals, Mystery table—Mrs. E. Weeks, Mrs. T. O. Delbourn, Doll booth—Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Graham, Domestic booth—Mrs. A. Hutchinson, Mrs. Ayon, Japanese booth—Mrs. A. Hutchinson, Country store—Mrs. Halsey, Miss Rhoda Newell, Mr. Hall, F. Weeks, Chester Newell, W. Cook, Burnt work—Mrs. L. J. Farley, Mrs. Edwards, Epworth League—Miss Bessie Newell, Miss Claire Newell, Lemonade booth—Nettie Morgan, Helen Smith, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Delchoulier, Mrs. Forsyth, Program—Mrs. Cook.

THE LIBERTY

Tomorrow afternoon at Ye Liberty playhouse the usual matinee will be given and the attraction will be this week's great comedy success, "A Stranger in a Strange Land." People who go to the theatre like to enjoy themselves and have a hearty laugh. This is all that Ye Liberty pretends to offer this week and in that respect the play has won an unequalled success. Since the book makes an interesting Indian and plays the part of the Indian in the play, it carries on the spirit of that race, and as Steven M. Stewart and Ben Southern, as well as Robert Lawler and Dick See, carry on the matinee tomorrow there will be the usual matinee at bargain prices on Sunday and the final performance will be given on Sunday night.

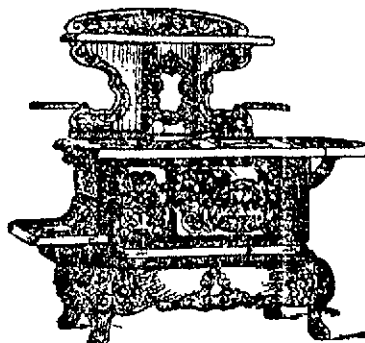
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ALAMEDANS TO PROTEST.

OBJECT TO OAKLAND'S PEST-HOUSE BEING LOCATED NEAR THEM.

ALAMEDA, December 2.—If the energetic protests of the official bodies and citizens' associations of this city avail anything the plan of the Oakland City Council to establish a pesthouse just beyond the tidal canal, opposite the foot of Broadway and within a stone's throw of this city, will never be out.

In all probability the local Board of Health at its regular session on next Tuesday evening will draft energetic resolutions, to be sent to the Oakland Council, protesting against the proposed building in North Alameda for the disposal of the city's garbage, and physicians of the island city that the placing of such an obnoxious institution close to the city would be an outrage of the most flagrant sort.

At the session last evening of the West End Alameda Improvement Association in the Wigwam, the question was agitated and freely discussed. President Charles R. Smith, N. C. Hawkes, D. J. McGarry, Dr. Lett and others endorsing the plan for a pesthouse almost within the confines of Alameda City in the strongest terms. The sentiment of the association was that this city should use every endeavor to deter the Oakland Council from carrying out its present intentions as to the site of the institution.

Dr. L. W. Stidham, Alameda's Health Officer, states that he has discussed the matter with a number of prominent physicians here and that without exception they denounce the proposed as an outrage. He said in part:

"The tidal waters near the proposed location are much in use by the public of both Alameda and Oakland for bathing and the vicinity has quite a property value. It is of the utmost importance that the site of the institution which is to be located near the foot of Broadway be kept clear of any obnoxious structures. There are many other available sites for the institution which are much more remote from the city and have been pointed out by Oakland's Health Board, from the point of view of sanitation and healthfulness and where surrounding property would not be so materially injured."

At Least Three Months

His answer below to this lady's letter will apply to many:

Dear Sir:—I wish to write you concerning your Compound for Diabetes. I have now been taking it for five weeks. It has followed the directions and I feel much better. I had been under the care of two doctors without any improvement. I have been advised to take your Compound by a friend. It has been a great blessing. I am 51 years old. Will you kindly advise me to the length of time I must take the Compound.

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UNEARTHED BOOTY.

Workmen Plow Up Stolen Carpenter's Tools.

BERKELEY, December 2.—Plowmen grading in the McGee tract have unearthed a box of carpenter's tools which have been identified as those stolen from a building in course of construction on Grove street near Channing Way, several weeks ago. The tools, which are valued at \$80, were unearthed but a short distance away from the place that was robbed. They were found to be in good condition.

The burglary was accomplished by prying off the roof of the tool shed in the rear of the house that was being built. Three boxes of tools were taken away by the burglars. The articles belonged to men in the employ of W. S. Benita, who has charge of the building of the house. It is thought that the tools were buried under the ground in a more convenient opportunity to remove them. A search is now being made for the missing boxes in the neighborhood.

CATHOLIC LADIES INSTALL OFFICERS

Branch No. 27, Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, held its installation of officers on Tuesday evening, in St. Anthony's Hall, in East Oakland. The meeting was a very enjoyable one, and was largely attended. The presence of a number of visitors from Branch No. 1 added much to the pleasure of the evening. Among these were Miss M. Carr, grand president, and Mrs. Thomas Hogan and Miss McGee, grand directors. Miss Gallagher of Alameda acted as installing officer. The officers were filled as follows:

President, Mrs. O. C. Kirk; senior vice-president, Mrs. F. H. Garcia; junior vice-president, Mrs. E. M. Saul; corresponding and recording secretary, Mrs. J. F. Whelan; financial secretary, Miss Mary McDonnell; treasurer, Mrs. McKown; marshal, Mrs. H. S. Knapp; guards, Mrs. J. Healy; trustees, Mrs. Hugh Hogan, Mrs. J. Koenig and Mrs. C. H. O'Connor.

Mrs. Hugh Hogan, the retiring president, was unable to attend; her absence was much regretted, but a pleasant surprise was received from her, and was read before the meeting.

Miss Josie Nesbit, the retiring secretary, was presented with a gold pin, as an expression of appreciation of her services.

Several very happy speeches were made, the visiting members taking the opportunity to congratulate No. 27 on having so fine a worker as Mrs. Kirk for a presiding officer. Miss Carr gave an interesting account of the organization of the society, making pleasant references to the charter members of the original branch, three of whom were present: Mrs. Kirk, Miss Carr, and Mrs. John Ellis.

Refreshments were served, and the rest of the evening was given over to informal sociability, but over the tea-cups the ladies exchanged many practical suggestions for furthering the work for which they are banded together.

WILL NOT DEBATE WITH WASHINGTON

BERKELEY, December 2.—It has been officially decided by the intercollegiate debating committee not to hold a debate with the University of Washington, as proposed by the latter some time ago.

The decision was reached after carefully considering the matter and laying it before different debating organizations of this university.

The reasons given are these: Owing to both the intercollegiate and Carnot debates with Stanford, coming during the latter term of college, there will be no time for the debaters to prepare for a third debate, and that if the University should debate with Washington she would wish to use her best men.

INHERITED SCROFULA

When a child I had a very severe attack of Diphtheria, which came near proving fatal. Upon recovery the glands of the neck were very much enlarged, and after the free use of iodine, the right one was reduced to its normal size, but the left one continued to grow—very slowly at first, until it was about the size of a goose egg, which began to press on the windpipe, causing difficult breathing, and became very painful. An incision was made and a large quantity of pus discharged. The gland was removed, or as much as could with safety be taken out. For ten years I wore a little piece of cloth about an inch long in my neck to keep the place open. During this time I had to have it cut open by the doctor every time I took cold or the opening clogged. In the Spring of 1904 I was persuaded by my wife to use S. S. S., which I did, took twenty-six large bottles, and was entirely cured, for I have not suffered since that time.

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PROFESSOR ADVERTISES CALIFORNIA FRUITS.

BERKELEY, December 2.—Professor L. de Vries, who was a member of the University faculty during the last summer session, has published an extensive article on California fruits in "de Glids," a Dutch periodical, and has just sent a copy of the same to the University library. Professor de Vries devotes a large amount of attention to the success of Luther Burbank in his horticultural experiments.

THIS WOMAN KNOWS

WHAT ONE OF THE SEX DISCOVERED TO HER GREAT OY.

Mrs. De Long Finds That the Insupportable Pains of Rheumatism Can Be Cured Through the Blood.

Mrs. De Long's recovery from rheumatism has aroused considerable interest because it occurred as the result of an independent course of treatment which she pursued in accordance with a theory of her own. When interviewed on the subject of her illness, Mrs. De Long said:

"I was in bed half the time suffering from pain that cannot be described to one who has never had rheumatism. It would concentrate sometimes in one set of joints."

"Just what do you mean?"

"Why, sometimes it would be altogether in my feet and then I could not walk. At another time it would be all in my elbows and wrists, and then I could not even draw the covers over my body. Whether the pain was in my ankles, knees and hips, or in my wrists and elbows, it caused me extreme suffering. The doctor gave me no relief and I finally decided to get on without him."

"Yours was a hard condition to face without the aid of a doctor. What did you do?"

"I did a great deal of thinking, you may be sure. I happened to have a brother-in-law who had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and who was a perfect enthusiast on their value as a purifier of the blood. What he had said came often to my mind in connection with the thought that the matism is a disease of the blood. I concluded that if Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are so good for the condition of the blood in general, they must be good for rheumatism too."

"As my sufferings continued unrelieved it was necessary for me to do something, so I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and to see whether they would not drive me into the arms of a doctor."

"How long was that?"

"It was a complete success. Two weeks after I began to use Dr. Williams' Pink Pills they showed what they were capable of doing by giving me the very first relief I had found in all my illness. I kept on using them until I was entirely well."

"How long was that?"

"I was really cured by the time I had taken six boxes, but to make perfectly sure I continued to use them for about two weeks longer and then I stopped altogether. The benefit has not only lasted for several years I have had no occasion to use them for myself, but I am constantly recommending them to others."

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that a second time would be impracticable.

Although nothing definite was promised, some hope was extended Washington of meeting her during the first term of next year.

"PEG WOFFINGTON" IS A SUCCESS

Few women known to history have been utilized for national purposes more extensively than has Peg Woffington, the actress who, before she was out of her teens was the idol of the Covent Garden Theatre in London, during the early part of the eighteenth century. Her early life, the people by whom she was surrounded, and, above all, her romantic, though unfortunate love affair with David Garrick, have been constant temptations to authors for the past two generations. Charles Reade made her the heroine of his novel, "Peg Woffington," which, with the assistance of Tom Taylor, is afterward dramatized into the two-act comedy, "Masks and Faces." Stockwell and Burton, and even Wilkie Collins, also twisted the legend of Mistress Woffington to suit themselves, but their work did not possess the historical correctness as they also lacked the national interest and dramatic merit that characterize "Pretty Peggy," the latest treatment of this subject by Frances Annor McIlwaine, in which Jane Corcoran is starring this season.

This fact accounts for the great success of "Pretty Peggy," which is one of the most notable runs of recent years in New York, where it was presented for over five months at the Herald Square and Madison Square Theatres. The critical credit it has won, and the fact that the only really good Peg Woffington play, but the best of all the plays that have been produced in several seasons.

"Pretty Peggy" opened a two nights' engagement at the Macdonough last night and will close a fair sized audience. Miss Corcoran plays the part of Peg, and Andrew Robson that of Garrick, supported by a cast usually large and strong.

Tonight is their last appearance here and it should see a crowded house.

"For the last time," says the attraction at the Macdonough tomorrow afternoon and evening.

"The Runaway" will play at the "Sunshine" Monday and evening.

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